



AGENDA

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

**January 15, 2015
3:30 p.m.**

**HCC Administration Building
3100 Main, 2nd Floor, Seminar Room B
Houston, Texas 77002**



Strategic Plan 2012-2015

Creating Opportunities for Our Shared Future
(Approved by the HCC Board of Trustees, June 22, 2012)

Mission

Houston Community College is an open-admission, public institution of higher education offering a high-quality, affordable education for academic advancement, workforce training, career and economic development, and lifelong learning to prepare individuals in our diverse communities for life and work in a global and technological society.

Vision

HCC will be a leader in providing high quality, innovative education leading to student success and completion of workforce and academic programs. We will be responsive to community needs and drive economic development in the communities we serve.

Strategic Initiatives

- Initiative #1: Increase Student Completion
- Initiative #2: Respond to Business and Industry
- Initiative #3: Develop 21st Century Learners
- Initiative #4: Support Faculty/Staff Professional Development and Student Leadership
- Initiative #5: Support Innovation
- Initiative #6: Support Entrepreneurialism
- Initiative #7: Leverage Partnerships

**NOTICE OF A SPECIAL MEETING
OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
HOUSTON COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

January 15, 2015

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Trustees of the Houston Community College will hold a Special Meeting on Thursday, the fifteenth (15th) day of January, 2015 at 3:30 p.m., or after, and from day to day as required, at HCC Administration Building, 3100 Main, 2nd Floor in Seminar Room B, Houston, Texas, 77002. The items listed in this Notice may be considered in any order at the discretion of the Chair or Board and items listed for closed session may be discussed in open session and vice versa as permitted by law. The Board may take final action with regard to items listed in this Notice without further action at a Regular Board Meeting.

I. Call to Order

II. Topics for Discussion and/or Action

A. Election of Board Officers for 2015.

III. Adjournment to closed or executive session pursuant to Texas Government Code Sections 551.071; and 551.074, the Open Meetings Act, for the following purposes:

A. Legal Matters

1. Consultation with legal counsel concerning matters on which the attorney's duty to the System under the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct clearly conflicts with the Texas Open Meetings Laws

B. Personnel Matters

1. Deliberate the appointment, employment, evaluation, duties, leave, or to hear complaints or charges against employees or board members

C. Real Estate Matters

1. Deliberate the purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property for Agenda items if deliberation in an open meeting would have a detrimental effect on negotiations

Reconvene in Open Meeting

IV. Additional Closed or Executive Session Authority

If, during the course of the meeting covered by this Notice, the Board should determine that a closed or executive meeting or session of the Board should be held or is required in relation to any items included in this Notice, then such closed or executive meeting or session as authorized by Section 551.001 et seq. of the Texas Government Code (the Open Meetings Act) will be held by the Board at that date, hour and place given in this Notice or as soon after the commencement of the meeting covered by the Notice as the Board may conveniently meet in such closed or executive meeting or session concerning Section 551.071 – For the purpose of a private consultation with the Board's attorney on any or all subjects or matters authorized by law.

Section 551.072 – For the purpose of discussing the purchase, exchange, lease or value of real property.

Section 551.073 – For the purpose of considering a negotiated contract for a prospective gift or donation.

Section 551.074 – For the purpose of considering the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline or dismissal of a public officer or employee or to hear complaints or charges against a public officer or employee.

Section 551.076 – To consider the deployment, or specific occasions for implementation of security personnel or devices.

Section 551.082 – For the purpose of considering discipline of a student or to hear a complaint by an employee against another employee if the complaint or charge directly results in a need for a hearing.

Section 551.084 – For the purpose of excluding a witness or witnesses from a hearing during examination of another witness.

Should any final action, final decision, or final vote be required in the opinion of the Board with regard to any matter considered in such closed or executive meeting or session, then such final action, final decision, or final vote shall be at either:

- A. The open meeting covered by this Notice upon the reconvening of the public meeting, or
- B. At a subsequent public meeting of the Board upon notice thereof, as the Board shall determine.

V. Adjournment

Houston Community College
Special Meeting – January 15, 2015

Certificate of Posting or Giving of Notice

On this the 12th day of January 2015, at or before 4:00 p.m., this Notice was posted at a place convenient to the public and readily accessible at all times to the general public at the following locations: (1) the HCC Administration Building of the Houston Community College, 3100 Main, First Floor, Houston, Texas 77002; (2) the Harris County's Criminal Justice Center, 1201 Franklin, Houston, Texas 77002; (3) the Fort Bend County Courthouse, 401 Jackson, Richmond, Texas 77469; and (4) the Houston Community College System's website, www.hccs.edu. The Houston Community College's Fort Bend County public meeting notices may be viewed after hours (i.e. between the hours of 5:30 p.m. and 7:30 a.m.) on the kiosk located on the west side of the new Fort Bend County Courthouse (the "William B. Travis Building"), located at 309 South Fourth Street, Richmond, Texas 77469.

Sharon R. Wright, Manager
Board Services

ACTION ITEM

Meeting Date: January 15, 2015

ITEM NO.	ITEM TITLE	PRESENTER
A	Election of Board Officers for 2015	Board of Trustees

RECOMMENDATION

Elect Board Officers for 2015.

COMPELLING REASON/RATIONALE

The bylaws specify that officers of the Board shall be elected by a majority of the total membership of the Board in January.

DESCRIPTION OR BACKGROUND

The Board bylaws state that the Board shall elect the following officers in January for a one-year term: Chair, Vice-Chair, and Secretary.

FISCAL IMPACT

N/A

LEGAL REQUIREMENT

N/A

STRATEGIC GOAL ALIGNMENT

Strategy Initiative: Support Innovation

This item is applicable to the following:

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